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SERIAL NO: 09/575,677 :
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FOR: A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR :
MANAGING A FLOW OF NETWORK :
STATUS MESSAGES AGT A NETWORK :
OPERATIONS CONSOLE :

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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Office Action dated February 26, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

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*Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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